South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Hearing Tuesday, February 13, at 10:00 A.M. Public Utilities Commission Office, Cactus Conference Room Pierre, South Dakota

## MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION HEARING

Chairman Dustin Johnson called the meeting to order. Present were Vice Chairman Gary Hanson; Commissioner Steve Kolbeck; Deputy Executive Director Heather Forney; Commission Advisor Greg Rislov; Commission Attorney John Smith; Staff Attorney Karen Cremer; Staff Analyst Harlan Best; and Administrative Secretary Demaris Axthelm.

## **Telecommunications**

TC06-204 - In the Matter of SkyTel Communications, Inc.'s Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-205 - In the Matter of Cl2, Inc.'s Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-206 - In the Matter of BAK Communications, LLC's Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-207 - In the Matter of Exergy Group, LLC's Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-208 - In the Matter of Gates Communications, Inc.'s Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-209 - In the Matter of Inmark, Inc. d/b/a Preferred Billing's Failure to Submit a Report and Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-210 - In the Matter of ACCXX Communications, LLC's Failure to Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-211 - In the Matter of Advanced Tel, Inc. d/b/a ATI's Failure to Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-212 - In the Matter of National Access Long Distance, Inc.'s Failure to Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-213 - In the Matter of Telliss, LLC's Failure to Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

TC06-214 - In the Matter of WDT World Discount Telecommunications Co.'s Failure to Pay the Gross Receipts Tax

Ms. Heather Forney testified that the Commission should revoke the Certificates of Authority for the above companies listed in the first section of attached Exhibit 1. Ms. Forney stated the companies have been contacted numerous times through the mail. She also indicated that 2 companies (National Access Long Distance, Inc. (TC06-212) and WDT World Telecommunications Co. (TC06-214),) have paid their gross receipts tax, so they are now in compliance. Ms. Forney recommended that Dockets TC06-212 and TC06-214 be dismissed. Ms. Cremer recommended that the Commission revoke Certificates of Authority for the companies in Dockets TC06-204, TC06-205, TC06-206, TC06-207, TC06-208, TC06-209, TC06-210, TC06-211, and TC06-213 for failure to pay the Gross Receipts Tax for 2006.

Chairman Johnson moved to consolidate Dockets TC06-204, TC06-205, TC06-206, TC06-207, TC06-208, TC06-209, TV06-210, TC06-211, TC06-212, TC06-213 and TC06-214 for purposes of this hearing. Vice Chairman Hanson seconded and Commissioner Kolbeck concurred. Motion passed 3-0

Chairman Johnson moved to dismiss Dockets TC06-212 and TC06-214. Vice Chairman Hanson seconded and Commissioner Kolbeck concurred. Motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Kolbeck moved to revoke the Certificates of Authority for the companies named in Dockets TC06-204, TC06-205, TC06-206, TC06-207 TC06-208, TC06-209, TC06-210, TC06-211 and TC06-213. Vice Chairman Hanson seconded and Chairman Johnson concurred. Motion passed 3-0.

Meeting adjourned.

Demaris Axthelm

Administrative Secretary

## EXHIBIT 1

	_	Status of Secretary of State						
Docket #	Company	COA	Annual Report	2005 Revenue	1st Letter Sent	Signed for 1st Letter?	2nd Letter Sent	Signed for 2nd Letter?
TC06-204	SkyTel Communications, Inc.	No information	No	Unknown	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-205	Cl2	No information	No	Unknown	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-206	BAK Communications, LLC	Delinquent	No	Unknown	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-207	Exergy Group, LLC	No information	No	Unknown	01/02/07	No	02/01/2007	Yes
TC06-208	Gates Communications, Inc.	Good Standing	No	Unknown	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-209	Inmark, Inc. d/b/a Preferred Billing	No information	No	Unknown	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-210	ACCXX Communications, LLC	Good Standing	Yes	\$0.00	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-211	Advanced Tel, Inc. d/b/a ATI	Good Standing	No	\$627,898.00	01/02/07	Yes		
TC06-213	Telliss, LLC	No information	Yes	\$0.00	01/02/07	Yes		
To be dismissed - paid GRT								
TC06-212	National Access Long Distance, Inc.	Good Standing	Yes	\$90.28	01/02/07	No	02/01/2007	Yes
TC06-214	WDT World Discount Telecommunications	Good Standing	Yes	\$147.00	01/02/07	Yes	,—,	